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Re:	Applicant:	University of Utah Research Foundation
	Invention:	AMPLICON MELTING ANALYSIS WITH SATURATION DYES
	Serial No.:	10/531,966
	Filed:	April 20, 2005
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**OFFICE OF INITIAL PATENT EXAMINATION - STATUS INQUIRY**

Dear Sir/Madam:

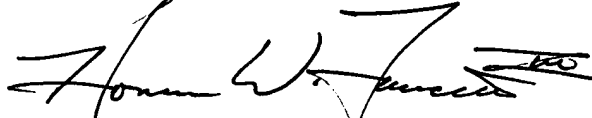
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Respectfully submitted,

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